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Enforcement Proceedings Initiated by the Environmental Services Department

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The Environmental Services Department uses one of the following methods of legal action to enforce the Environmental Health Code and the Maricopa County Air Pollution Control Regulations:

- A Permit Revocation may be initiated against a facility/establishment that has not demonstrated compliance or has been found in violation of any applicable Code or Rule. Permit revocation may also be initiated against trailer parks, hotels, semi-public swimming pools, and retail food establishments.
- A Permit may be suspended immediately for serious Environmental Health Code violations which pose a major health hazard or for Air Quality violations. The facility/establishment would not be permitted to operate.
- Citations are issued for violations of the Health Code or Air Pollution Control Regulations.

 The citation directs the defendant to appear for arraignment in Justice Court.
- Cease and Desist orders are issued for serious violations of the Environmental Health Code. The violation must be corrected immediately and a hearing may be requested. Disregarding the Order will result in injunctive action in Maricopa County Superior Court.
- Orders of Abatement are issued to individuals or corporations for violations of the Maricopa County Air Pollution Control regulations.

The Environmental Services Department has initiated legal action against the following facility/establishment or individual.

NAME REASON China Farm Buffet **<u>Permit Revoked</u>** - Breach of Stipulation Agreement. 3135 S. 48th St. – Tempe <u>Permit Revocation</u> – Serious and/or repetitive Health Code violations. China Gate 2050 W. Guadalupe - Mesa Examples of violations: Improper food temperature. Improper food storage. No hot water in restrooms. El Nuevo Taquito **Permit Revocation** – Serious and/or repetitive Health Code violations. 3237 E. McDowell Rd. - Phoenix Examples of violations: Rodents in the facility. Worn food-cutting boards. Moldy soda nozzles. Asadero Las Palmas <u>Permit Revocation</u> – Serious and/or repetitive Health Code violations. 3549 W. McDowell Rd. - Phoenix Examples of violations: Improper food temperature. Improper thawing of food. Flies in kitchen. **<u>Permit Revocation</u>** – Serious and/or repetitive Health Code violations. Dos Armandos 4309 W. Bethany Home Rd. - Glendale Examples of violations: Improper food temperature. Unprotected food items. Poor hygienic practices. William Brady - Mesa <u>Citation</u> – Failed to repair a sewage violation. Carla Liristis - Phoenix <u>Citation</u> – Peddling food without a permit. Anna Marinez - Phoenix <u>Citation</u> - Peddling food without a permit. <u>Cease and Desist</u> - Operating an unapproved catering operation. Catering By Carla - Phoenix Jim Davison - Gold Canyon <u>Citation</u> - Failed to repair a septic system. Citation - Failed to repair a sewage leak. Tina Leffler - Tonopah

<u>Citation</u> - Peddling food without a permit.

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Maria Beromer - Mesa

Elida Hernandez - Mesa

NAME	REASON
Gervasio Candin - Phoenix	<u>Citation</u> - Peddling food without a permit.
Vbaldo Paredes - Phoenix	<u>Citation</u> - Peddling food without a permit.
Horizon Waste – Mesa	<u>Cease and Desist</u> – Failed to collect refuse twice weekly.
D & J Disposal – Phoenix	<u>Cease and Desist</u> – Failed to collect refuse twice weekly.
Aztec Waste – Gilbert	Cease and Desist – Failed to collect refuse twice weekly.
Tango Teriyaki Grill 1 N. 1 st St. – Phoenix	<u>Cease and Desist</u> – Operating a food establishment without a permit.
Mercado Latino 8847 N. 7 th Ave. – Phoenix	Cease and Desist – Operating a meat market without a permit.
Waste Management – Phoenix	<u>Cease and Desist</u> – Failed to collect refuse twice weekly.
Kaill L.L.C.	<u>Citation</u> – Failed to maintain gasoline tank vapor seals.
S-Tec – Phoenix	<u>Citation (2)</u> – Spray painting outside of an enclosure.
Southwest Forest Products, Inc. – Phoenix	<u>Citation & Order of Abatement</u> – Making modifications without a permit revision.
Artistic Iron designs, Inc. – Phoenix	<u>Citation</u> – Spray painting outside an enclosure.
Highland Products, Inc. – Phoenix	Order of Abatement – Making modifications without a permit revision.

